

TAFT EARLY LEARNING CENTER

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TAFT UPDATE - 10/31

This week at Taft:

- Monday, November 1st - School wide Assembly 1:45 - 2:30 pm - (Mrs. Squier - slimed, Nurse Becky - pied, Mrs. Bellville - TP Mummy, Special Guests for Silly String and some extra surprises)
- Friday, November 5th - ½ day - Dismissal at 11:30 a.m.
- Friday, November 5th - Pajama Day

Preschool NEWS:

Dear Present and Future Uxbridge Preschool Families,
We want to hear from you!

If you could take a couple minutes of your time to complete the following survey, we would greatly appreciate it.

This is an assessment of family and community needs in the area of Early Childhood Preschool programming within the Uxbridge Public Schools.

https://docs.google.com/forms/d/e/1FAIpQLSff5Zrb_VA6eFq5apN5v3iXAr4cNYc_XGqLXEN9do10jPK46Q/viewform?usp=sf_link

Understanding the wants and needs of the Uxbridge community from families like yours, is very important to us! The results of this survey will ensure that we are planning and developing programs that support our youngest present and future students and their families.

Note: We kindly ask that you complete this survey no later than **Friday, November 5th, 2021.**

TAFT PTO:

A HUGE THANK YOU TO OUR AMAZING PTO! They put on two amazing events for our students! The Fun Run on Friday was a great event! Students and staff cheered one another on, music and dancing throughout the building! Thank you to all for your donations!

Yesterday, Trunk or Treat was a lot of fun! We look forward to next year already!!!!

Bus Reminder:

Just a reminder as we get into cooler weather that windows on buses are open, so please have students dress in layers and accordingly. Thank you!

Message from our Counselors (Mrs. Buel and Mrs. Waterhouse):

Check out Mrs. Buel and Mrs. Waterhouse website -

<https://sites.google.com/uxbridge.k12.ma.us/waterhouseclassroom/home>

Because there is so much content available to us and our children on social media, apps, streaming services, and cable, it can get very difficult to sort through what is safe and appropriate for elementary age children. We are sharing the Common Sense Media website with you; it's a great resource to look up shows, movies, and apps before your child views them.

Common Sense Media rates movies, TV shows, books, and more so parents can feel good about the entertainment choices they make for their kids. We offer the largest, most trusted library of independent age-based ratings and reviews. Our timely parenting advice supports families as they navigate the challenges and possibilities of raising kids in the digital age. **Learn how we rate and review** and see our **founding editors' 10 Beliefs**. *Our vision: Families taking charge of their digital choices.*

My door is always open and I welcome your input. Please feel free to call or email, jbellville@uxbridge.k12.ma.us, to discuss any concerns throughout the year or stop by to say hello. I am looking forward to working with you as a team to help each student at Taft Early Learning Center meet their goals and have a successful school year!

Have a great week!

Principal Bellville

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